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Application No.: 09/582,067 ✓  
Filing Date: 21 June 2000  
Inventor: Erzgräber et al.  
For: Semiconductor Substrate with Embedded...

Examiner: Fordé, R.  
Group Art Unit: 2826

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**Amendment**

Sir:

Having filed a Petition to extend the period for response to the Official Action of 20 February 2003 by one (1) month, Applicants courteously request entry of the following amendment into their instant application.

In the specification:

- ✓ Page 1, line 15: correct "mus" to --must--;
- ✓ line 26: change "a priori" to --a priori--;
- ✓ page 6, line 4: correct "buries" to --buried--; and
- ✓ line 24: correct "moats" to --moat--.

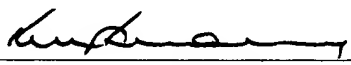
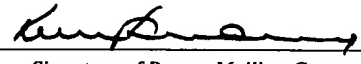
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In the claims:

Add the following new claims:

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9. (New) An integrated circuit of reduced parasitic capacitive influences, comprising:
- a semiconductor substrate; and
  - an insulating layer of a thickness of at least 5  $\mu\text{m}$  thickness buried in the

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<b>AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Small Entity)</b>			Docket No. 000394-US		
Applicant(s): Erzgraeber et al.					
Serial No. 09/582,067	Filing Date 21 June 2000	Examiner Forde, Remmon R	Group Art Unit <del>7576</del>		
Invention: Semiconductor Substrate with Embedded Insulation Layer for Integrated Circuits					
<u>TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</u>					
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.					
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Small Entity status of this application has been established under 37 CFR 1.27 by a verified statement previously submitted.					
<input type="checkbox"/> A verified statement to establish Small Entity status under 37 FR 1.27 is enclosed.					
The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.					
<b>CLAIMS AS AMENDED</b>					
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Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/>					\$0.00
<b>TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT</b>					<b>\$42.00</b>
<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"><div><input type="checkbox"/> No additional fee is required for amendment.</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> Please charge Deposit Account No. _____ in the amount of _____</div><div><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of <b>\$42.00</b> to cover the filing fee is enclosed.</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. _____</div></div> <div style="margin-top: 10px;"><input type="checkbox"/> Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.</div> <div style="margin-top: 5px;"><input type="checkbox"/> Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.</div>					<div style="writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg);">RECEIVED JUL 10 2003 TECHNOLOGY CENTER 2800</div>
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Karl Hormann Registration No.: 26,470  Tel.: (617)-491-8867			<div>I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on 20 June 2003 with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.</div> <div style="text-align: center; margin-top: 10px;"> <i>Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence</i></div> <div style="text-align: center; margin-top: 10px;"><b>Karl Hormann</b> <i>Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence</i></div>		
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